

## THE TAYLORS GUILTY

### CONVICTED OF MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

The Verdict Received With Cheers From the Crowd Court Room—Fight for a New Trial Commenced—The Murder of the Meeks Family Averted.

CARROLLTON, Mo., Aug. 3.—Yesterday witnessed a dramatic ending of the famous Taylor trial, which has been replete with sensational features. George and William Taylor, charged with the most atrocious crime known to the annals of Missouri, were found guilty of the cruel deed by twelve good men and true.

For a moment the silence was intense, then a burst of applause greeted the announcement of the verdict, which was quickly hushed by the judge. The defendants maintained their look of composure to the last and not a tremor was visible in either. The jury was then discharged and they were immediately surrounded by crowds, all wanting to know how many ballots were necessary to reach the verdict, and to express their approval of same. One jurymen said that on the first ballot all but two were for conviction and that had it not been for the time consumed in examining the instructions a verdict would have been reached in ten minutes.

### TRIED TO SHOOT DURRANT.

A Wild Eyed Young Man Makes an Attack on the Prisoner.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6.—The first attempt to do violence to Theodore Durrant, on trial for the murder of Blanche Lamont in Emmanuel church, since his incarceration, was made yesterday as the defendant was leaving the court room. The prisoner was in the custody of the chief jailer when a wild looking young man rushed from the crowd towards Durrant, with the evident intention of assaulting him. The jailer threw him off before he could reach Durrant and the assailant tried to draw a pistol. He was seized by two deputy sheriffs before he could aim his weapon. It is believed the assailant is insane. A seventh juror to try Durrant was secured at the morning session of the court in the person of H. J. Smythe, a retired farmer.

### MRS. TALMAGE DEAD.

The Wife of the Brooklyn Preacher Dies After a Long Illness.

DANVILLE, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Mrs. T. Dewitt Talmage, wife of the noted Brooklyn preacher, died here at 5:30 this morning. Since the burning of the Brooklyn tabernacle last year she had suffered from nervous prostration. The deceased was the second wife of Dr. Talmage. His first wife was drowned while boating in 1862, leaving a daughter, Miss Jessie, and a son who has since died. About two years afterward the doctor married Miss Susie Whittemore of Brooklyn. She became the mother of five children, the Rev. Frank Dewitt Talmage, Mrs. Doris, Mrs. Mangum, Miss Maude and Miss Daisy Talmage.

### "CASTLE" SEARCH ENDED.

Chicago Police Give Up Trying to Find Any More Bones.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—The search for human bones in the basement of H. H. Holmes' "castle" was abandoned today and a small force of men was put to work smoothing up the basement floor, filling up the hole and repairing the breaks in the masonry made by the detectives in their search for clues. The house will shortly be vacated by the police and turned over to its owners. The work of the detectives hereafter will be confined to a hunt for witnesses who can directly connect Holmes with some of the numerous murders with which he is charged.

### To Build Electric Engines.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6.—The successful use of electricity as a motive power on steam roads has led the Baldwin Locomotive works and the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company to effect a combination by which they will hereafter work together in the development of the apparatus for the operation of railroads by electricity. It is expected that the union of these two companies will result in the early introduction of improved forms of electric motors for standard railroads.

### Around the World on Nothing.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Archibald Coleman and Charles H. Taylor started yesterday from the capital steps for a "tramp" around the world. They go on a wager of \$500 that they can make the trip without funds, earning their way as they proceed, within fourteen months. Coleman is said to be the son of a Detroit banker and Taylor is a Washington boy.

### Discredited in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The story of the organization of a large filibustering expedition at San Francisco to attack the Hawaiian government and reenthroning the queen has caused no concern at the state department for the reason that several similar publications recently have, it is said, been shown after careful investigation, to be groundless.

### The London Times on Silver.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Times, discussing bimetalism, says that France is not likely to accept any ratio but 15 1/2 to 1. A ratio of 35 to 1, the Times continues, would not receive attention from the silver men, or the so-called bimetalists, who are really persons with silver, or silver securities to sell.

### Whisky Brought in Under Hay.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Aug. 6.—At an Indian sun dance near Chelsea, sixteen gallons of whisky were brought in under a load of hay and everybody became drunk and a fight ensued in which several were badly hurt. Henry Cox Childers attempted to escape with a gallon jug of whisky in each hand and was shot and killed by a deputy marshal.

## TO INVADE HAWAII.

Daring Plot of Filibusters Exposed at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5.—The Chronicle prints a story exposing an alleged plot to restore Queen Liliuokalani and loot Honolulu. Rudolph Spreckels, youngest son of Claus Spreckels, is said to be backing the scheme. The Chronicle says:

One of the best conceived and most dangerous filibustering expeditions ever fitted out on American soil was uncovered in San Francisco yesterday. Its object is, or was, to take the Hawaiian republic by force of arms to restore to the throne ex-Queen Liliuokalani and divide lands, money and goods worth approximately \$27,000,000 among some 200 freebooters picked up by ones and twos in Western America. The active agent of the conspirators is W. P. Morrow, a native of Connecticut, aged 31, and he says, recently a resident of Grass Valley, Cal. He is still in San Francisco under surveillance, so that the federal authorities can get him if they care to do so. The headquarters of the filibustering expedition has been at 711 Bush street, a dingy, flat-fronted boarding-house. There the agent of the conspirators has been receiving day and night a motley crowd of men, who call in response to his cautiously worded advertisements published in this city and elsewhere.

### TO PROFIT AND LOSS.

A Chicago Bank Charges Off From Its Surplus \$1,000,000 at One Fell Swoop. CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—The First National bank has charged off from its surplus \$1,000,000, transferring that sum to the profit and loss account. Never before have such heroic measures been taken by a Chicago bank. In charging off this large sum from its surplus, the directors have completely wiped out the real estate which the bank has taken at one time or another and which is said to represent a value of some \$400,000. The bank charged liberally from its undivided profits at the beginning of last year. The bank's statement to the comptroller December 19, 1893, showed individual profits of \$689,919. January it charged off something like \$600,000 for its undivided profits.

### World to End in Ten Days.

TABOR, Iowa, Aug. 6.—The Holiness people here have been holding meetings in this city the past week. They claim to have had a divine presentment that the world will come to an end within ten days. The Holiness adherents have worked themselves into a frenzy, and their meetings are attended by hundreds of people. Some of their leaders announce positively the early destruction of the world, and many of their followers are making preparations for the exit.

### About Missouri Crops.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 5.—J. R. Rippey, secretary of the state board of agriculture, reports as follows: Wheat, damaged 9 per cent in shock. Corn, area, 110; condition, 108; estimated yield, forty-one bushels. Oats, area increased two points; yield, thirty bushels; estimated yield for state: Wheat, 17,000,000 bushels; corn, 270,000,000; oats, 34,000,000; hay, 3,000,000 tons; tobacco, 7,000,000 pounds; potatoes, 10,000,000 bushels.

### A New Central American Republic.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 6.—The new republic proposed to be formed of Nicaragua, Salvador and Honduras is named Republica Mayor de Centro America, or the Greater Republic of Central America. Many people conversant with Central American affairs look to a partition of Guatemala, her northern provinces seceding to join Mexico and her southern going into the new republic.

### Wages of Iron Workers Advanced.

BRAZIL, Ind., Aug. 6.—A raise of twenty-five per cent on the ton was given the employees of the Central Iron and Steel company yesterday morning. Another raise of twenty-five per cent is expected in about two months. The old furnace which has been lying idle for several years past will be started up in a short time. The raise affects about 500 men.

### Stopped the Collection of Taxes.

PERRY, Ok., Aug. 6.—The probate judge of this county granted an injunction last evening prohibiting the treasurer of this county from collecting city, county, territorial and school tax from realty in the city of Perry for the year 1894. The amount involved is over \$30,000. The case will go to the supreme court of the territory.

### Quay Holding His Own.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Despite the fact that the Gilkeson-Christ Magee-Dave Martin-Governor Hastings combination against Matt Quay took the Pennsylvania boss off his practiced guard and thereby secured a big lead in the fight for control of the state machinery, all the recent returns are strongly in Quay's favor and he may yet win out.

### The Dawes Commission.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—General Armstrong, one of the members of the Dawes commission, is spending a few days in Washington. He says that the prospects now are that the commission will be able to make a deal with the tribes, looking to future legislation for the settlement of the existing analogous condition in the Indian country.

### Tin Ore Found in Colorado.

LA VETA, Col., Aug. 6.—In Huerta county recently extensive discoveries of tin ore that contains a greater percentage of tin than any yet found in the United States are reported. This has given a new impetus to the prospecting for other minerals.

### Big Damage Suit Dismissed.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 3.—Judge Shackelford of the Cole county circuit court, dismissed the damage suit for \$10,000, brought by F. G. Graham, correspondent of the Post-Dispatch, during the extra session of the legislature, against J. P. Wells, sergeant-at-arms of the senate.

## LATEST FROM PEPPER.

He Thinks the Silver Sentiment Is Dying Out in the West.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Senator Pepper, of Kansas, lectured yesterday at Prohibition park, Staten Island, on "The Labor Question, a Moral Question."

To an interviewer the senator said: "The silver question is the leading question of the hour, but at present, in the West, the agitation is dying. This has been strongly marked during the last six or eight weeks. I think it but a temporary check, however, and the sentiment is strong with the people. Still, there are no more public meetings now, and the discussion that continues is put up by the newspapers alone."

"I think," said he, "that the silver men in the Democratic and Republican parties will be swamped when it comes to elections. They will talk silver, protest their allegiance, and all that, but when the time comes, they will grit their teeth and stand their medicine. They will vote with their parties."

### TEN BRITISH KILLED.

But No American Missionaries Suffered at the Riots at Ku Cheng.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The state department has received latest intelligence of the killing of missionaries in Ku Cheng, China. The dispatch was from Consul General Jernigan, and howts that no Americans suffered, but that the massacre of British subjects was greater than at first reported. The consul general's dispatch is as follows:

"Americans all safe. None hurt. Ten British killed."

Although Mr. Jernigan does not use the word "missionaries" in his dispatch, there is no doubt felt by the officials of the state department that he refers to them.

### Defender Wins Again.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The Defender and Vigilant sailed over a 35 1/2 mile course yesterday, from Cottage City, Mass., to this port, the race being an event in the cruising of the New York Yacht club. The sea was smooth and the wind varied in velocity from ten to fifteen miles an hour. For twenty miles down to the Vineyard Sound lightship it was a dead beat to windward and the Defender beat the Vigilant by about five minutes, forty-six seconds, both yachts carrying club topsails and baby jib topsails.

### Off for Africa.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 6.—A band of missionaries, comprising the first party of the African Inland Mission, will leave for the Sudan next week, through the agency of the Philadelphia missionary council. The party will be headed by Rev. P. Cameron Scott, a young Westerner, who has spent seven of his twenty-eight years in the interior of Africa. He will be accompanied by his sister, Margaret C. Scott, Miss Bertha Echling, Lester C. Severn, Rev. Willis Hotchkiss and Rev. F. W. Krieger.

### Stabbed Forty-Two Times.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 6.—An autopsy upon the body of Jesus Olmosy Contreras, the congressman and journalist who was assassinated in Puebla, showed that he had been stabbed forty-two times in the chest and one of the daggers was broken, the blade remaining in the muscles. The heart was traversed twice by a weapon wielded by a very strong hand and with sure aim. Nothing is known as to the author of the deed, but indications show clearly that it was an act of private vengeance.

### Japan Awards a Contract.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Advices received at the agricultural department announce that a manufacturer at Allston, Ala., has secured the contract for equipping the city of Tokio, Japan, with water pipe. Manufacturers in England, Germany, Belgium and other European countries competed in the bidding, but the Alabama contractor secured the job. The water pipes are shipped to Tokio via Liverpool.

### Four Deaths in a Ball Room.

CHILLICAGO, Mex., Aug. 5.—In the village of Chilapa a ball was in progress at the home of Joseph E. Ferrata, last night, when Louis Martinez, a young Spaniard, became enraged at being refused a dance by a young lady, and drawing a revolver began firing indiscriminately into the crowd of dancers. He fired a dozen or more shots and killed three men and one woman. He then fled.

### Another Claim Against Spain.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Charles Lynn, the "Cuban cattle king," who arrived from the scene of the insurgent fighting in Santa Clara province recently, proposes to push a claim of \$150,000 against the Spanish government for the destruction of his father's property and the imprisonment of his mother in jail at Trinidad, Cuba, without warrant of law.

### Bonuses on Sugar.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Senator Manderson of Nebraska arrived here last night to take part in the hearing before Comptroller Bowles on Wednesday as to the constitutionality of the law for the payment of the sugar bounty. Senators Blanchard and Caffery of Louisiana are also here and Judge Simmons of New Orleans is expected.

### Poisoned by Butter Milk.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Aug. 5.—Seven members of the families of William and James Brooks, twenty-five miles northwest of here, were poisoned by drinking butter milk that had stood in tin cans. All are dangerously sick, but physicians have been working hard with them and think they may recover.

### Reform for All Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 3.—At a cabinet council just held, a scheme of reforms, not only for Armenia, but for the whole of the Turkish empire was decided upon.

### Nebraska Well Soaked.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 5.—Rain fell all over Eastern Nebraska yesterday, and corn is considered quite safe.

## LATE NEWS NOTES.

A London sport offers to back Peter Jackson against Corbett.

Daniel Webster of Wisconsin, has been appointed chief examiner of land claims in the interior department.

Charles Phillips, a Rock Island railroad conductor, died in Topeka from the effects of injuries received while battling bulls to friends.

At Hutchinson, Kan., Charley Maxwell, who, with two other boys, went bathing in the Arkansas river, was drowned.

William Lewis, a ranchman living forty miles from Cheyenne, Wyo., was found assassinated. He had been accused of cattle stealing.

Continuous rains have ruined the rice crops in many parts of Japan and a famine is feared. Many lives have already been lost and the damage done is enormous.

Ella Peake and Charles Elliott, balloonists, were fatally injured at a resort near Jackson, Mich., their balloon catching fire in mid-air and collapsing.

Twenty rioters were killed and many injured as the result of an attack on the bakeries in Tabornes, Persia. The Russian consul tried to restore order, but failed.

Governor Altgeld of Illinois has decided not to call another extra session of the legislature at present, holding that the members of the present body are incompetent.

As the result of a quarrel over a young woman, Hill Picou and his friends shot Henry and Albert O'Neill dead in front of the church at Gideon, La., during a revival.

An important case before the court of claims is the claim of the Choctaws and Chickasaws against the Wichitas.

The killing of the negro boy at Washington by Miss Flagler is causing great discontent among the negroes of the district, and a mass meeting will be held.

William and Annie Keith were killed by the cars at Louisiana, Mo.

The Illinois legislature comes in for a vigorous roast from Governor Altgeld.

Thomas F. Messick of Liberty, Mo., is said to have misused \$4,000 of school funds.

Wages were advanced twenty-five cents a ton at the Birmingham, Ala., rolling mills.

The St. Joe Lead company, Bonne Terre, Mo., has advanced the wages of their men fifteen per cent.

Ten thousand people were present at the close of the national prohibition camp meeting at Decatur, Ill.

The Missouri State Roads association will call four district conventions this fall to consider the question of good roads.

At Oxford, Ala., Ivy Sanford shot and instantly killed Mrs. Mary Griffin as she came out of church. She refused to marry Sanford and two weeks ago was wedded to Thomas Griffin, and Sanford became insanely jealous.

Judge Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., decided that the Nicholson temperance law is inoperative.

Sheriff Tamsen and ex-keepers of the Ludlow street jail, New York, were indicted for allowing three prisoners to escape.

Miss Jennie W. G. Goodwin, a stenographer at the Kansas City stock yards, has gone into the live stock commission business on her own account. She is the first woman in the United States to go into the commission business.

Pierce Chiles, a base ball player was arrested at Sedalia on the charge of having criminally assaulted the 15-year-old daughter of a man near I Davis, a prominent citizen of Coffeyville, Kan.

Elizabeth Flagler of Washington shot and killed a 14-year-old colored boy for stealing fruit but was exonerated by the coroner's jury.

Governor Morrill has decided that Election Commissioner Frank Herald was guilty on three counts of the charges preferred against him. R. B. McAllister succeeds Herald.

The navy department has decided to punish officers guilty of lending money at usurious rates or winking at it.

The civil service attempt to secure suitable printers for the government printing office was a failure.

Bids have been asked for the construction of three new torpedo boats. Vice President Stevenson is taking his daughter on a trip to Alaska for her health.

Telephone manufacturers are forming a combination to protect their customers from the Bell company.

Indiana coal miners decided to do no more work until the scale is advanced, which will be in October 1.

The school moneys of Missouri apportioned among the counties this year is \$871,225.30.

George C. Taylor of Kansas City and Miss Mayne Landeman of Lexington, Ky., were married. It was an elopement.

Mrs. S. Newby and son and two children of Samuel Harrison were drowned in a cloudburst near Caspar, Wyo.

The Indians are returning to their reservations, and all is quiet at Jackson's Hole.

General Coxey has been nominated for governor of Ohio by the Populists. A \$150,000 fire occurred on the Brooklyn docks.

Fitzsimmons will do his final training at Corpus Christi and Corbett at San Antonio.

In the United States circuit court Judge Caldwell decided that judgments against the Frisco took priority over all mortgages, and that the receivers must pay them in full.

General Campos has issued a proclamation absolutely prohibiting the publication of news about the war in Cuba if it is not of official origin.

The anti-oleomargarine laws are practically inoperative.

John Garrett, deputy United States marshal and a creek sheriff, was assassinated from ambush by three Creek Indians near Okmulgee, Creek nation.

China has agreed to pay for rioters done to American missions by rioters at Cheng Tu.

William Williamson was shot dead on the street in Nashville, Tenn., because he would not marry a girl with whose ruin he was charged.

## ZIP WYATT SINKING FAST.

The Oklahoma Outlaw Found to be Fatally Wounded.

SOUTH ENID, Ok., Aug. 7.—Zip Wyatt, alias Dick Yeager, the notorious bandit, is still alive but fast sinking. He has three forty-five Winchester bullets in his person, two of which are lodged in his intestines. When told that he was bound to die, he made a partial statement, admitted his identity and requested that his father be sent for. His father, William Wyatt, lives near Guthrie, this territory, and is known as "Six Shooter Bill." He is a tall, muscular old man, and when in his cups is in the habit of making a hot house for the loafers.

Zip Wyatt, the bandit, is the only one of the Dalton gang who made his escape from the raid at Coffeyville, Kan. He was wounded at the Dover robbery, and was the leader at the Red Rock train robbery on the Santa Fe. He has assisted in a score or more of murders, and perhaps 100 robberies of banks, stores and private families. More than 500 people visited the jail yesterday to see him, many of whom positively identified him. A deputy United States marshal stated that the pursuing and capture of Zip Wyatt had cost the United States government some ten or twelve brave officers and not less than \$50,000.

### BASE BALL SCORES.

Western League.  
At Minneapolis—Kansas City 6, Minneapolis 4.  
At St. Paul—St. Paul 11, Milwaukee 5.  
At Detroit—Detroit 3, Terre Haute 2.

National League.  
At New York—New York 13, Brooklyn 6.  
At Washington—Washington 12, Baltimore 5.  
At Boston—Boston 7, Philadelphia 3.  
At Pittsburgh—St. Louis 7, Pittsburgh 4.

Western Association Games.  
At Quincy—Quincy 8, Denver 5.  
At Jacksonville—Lincoln 21, Jacksonville 7.  
At Peoria—Peoria 12, St. Joseph 4.

Joseph Bingham and Oliver Benway were smothered in a well at South Perry, Ok.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 7.—There were a few small milling orders on the market, but most of the wheat was bought to go into store. Receipts of wheat, 25 cars; a year ago, 120 cars.

No. 2 hard wheat, 65c; No. 1 (45) 65c; No. 1, 60c; No. 2 red, 60c; No. 3, 55c; No. 4, 50c; rejected, 45c; no grade, 50c.

Corn was 15 cent lower. There was an active demand for it and offerings were smaller than for a week past. Early sales were at 35 1/2c. Then some samples brought 36c and last sales were at 35 1/2c. Receipts, 31 cars; a year ago, 17 cars.

No. 2 mixed corn, 35c; No. 3, 35c; No. 4, 31c; no grade, 31c; No. 2 white, 36c; No. 3, 35c.

Oats were scarce. Only three cars were received. The demand was fair and prices were a little higher. Receipts, 3 cars; a year ago, 12 cars.

No. 2 mixed oats, 18c; No. 3, 17c; No. 4, 15c; rejected, 12 1/2c; no grade, 13c; No. 2 white, 23 1/2c; No. 3, 21c.

Rye—No. 2, 1 car 43c, 1 car 43 1/2c; No. 3, 42c; No. 4, 41c.

Flaxseed—Market weak. August, 92c; September, 92c.

Corn Chop—Steady. 1 1/2c per cwt sacked. Bran—Firm. 50c per cwt sacked; bulk 46c.

Prices of receipts, 28 cars. Yesterday's receipts were 69 cars instead of 6 as reported here. The market is steady. Old hay worth \$1 above quotations. Timothy—Choice, \$10.00; No. 1, \$9.50; No. 2, \$8.50; fancy prairie, \$11.00; choice, \$9; No. 1, 85c; No. 2, \$1.00; packing hay, \$2.

Prices of broom corn here are as follows: Old corn, short and common, \$5.00 per ton; self working, \$6.00 per ton; dwarf corn, \$6.00 per ton. New corn, short and common, \$5.00 per ton; self working \$6.00 per ton; dwarf corn, \$6.00 per ton.

### Chicago Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The following is the range of prices of the grain and provision market on the board of trade:

	High	Low	Close	Close
WHEAT—			Aug. 6	Aug. 5
August.....	67 1/2	67	67	67 1/2
September.....	68 1/2	68	68	68 1/2
October.....	71 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2

CORN—				
August.....	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
September.....	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
May.....	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2

OATS—				
August.....	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
September.....	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
May.....	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2

PORK—				
August.....	9 25	9 25	9 25	9 25
September.....	9 25	9 25	9 25	9 25
January.....	10 25	10 10	10 15	10 15

LARD—				
August.....	5 50	5 50	5 50	5 50
September.....	6 02 1/2	5 95	5 95	6 00
January.....	6 15	6 07 1/2	6 07 1/2	6 12 1/2

SHORT RIBS—				
August.....	5 45	5 45	5 45	5 39 1/2
September.....	5 60	5 52 1/2	5 52 1/2	5 60
January.....	5 32 1/2	5 25	5 25	5 32 1/2

ST. LOUIS GRAIN.				
Wheat—Cash, 65c; August, 65c; September, 65 1/2c; December, 74 1/2c; sellers, Corn—Cash, 37 1/2c; August, 37c; asked; September, 37c; asked; December, 37 1/2c; bid. Oats—Cash, 21c bid; August, 20c bid; September, 20 1/2c bid.				

### LIVE STOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; calves, 1,151; shipped yesterday, 2,224 cattle, 400 calves. The market was steady to strong on best and 10c to 15c lower